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*Down the long corridors of time . . .*
*the minutes slip slowly by.*

The hours come with a rush,
And the days melt into each
other in an ever-changing pattern of
light and dark . laughter and tears.

The design we have chosen is set before us.
Sometimes the passage of the minutes
Seems endless . and the hours pile up
In a shapeless heap.

We have almost lost sight of the pattern.
But one day soon we will see it . completed,
And we will take it . and use it,
As a tool in weaving the larger pattern
of our lives.

L. Hunt

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*We dedicate* this book to M. Helena McMillan, the founder of our school. Time has not changed the ideals and standards she set for us.

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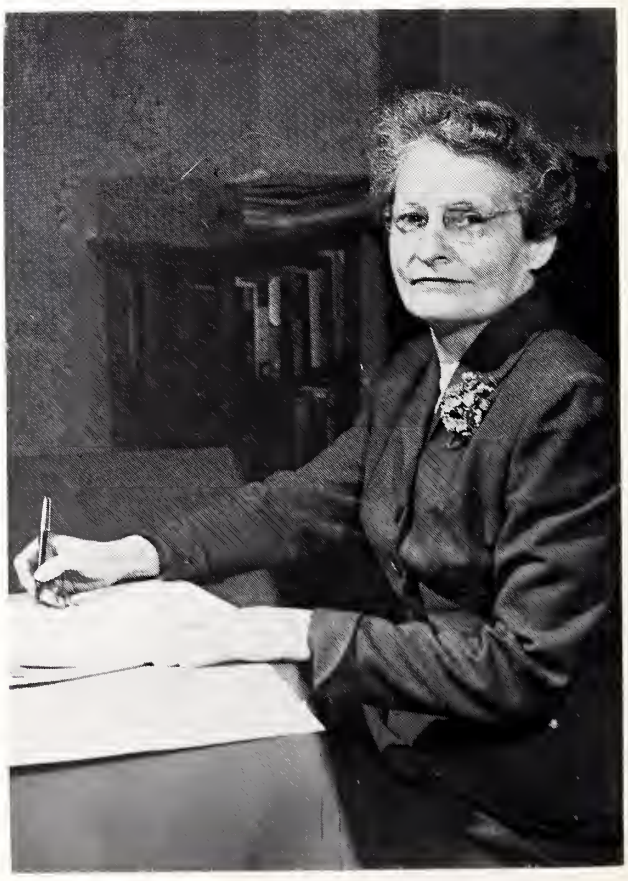

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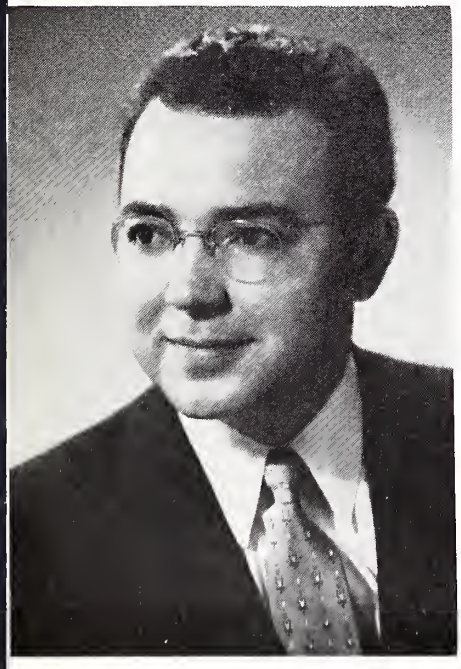

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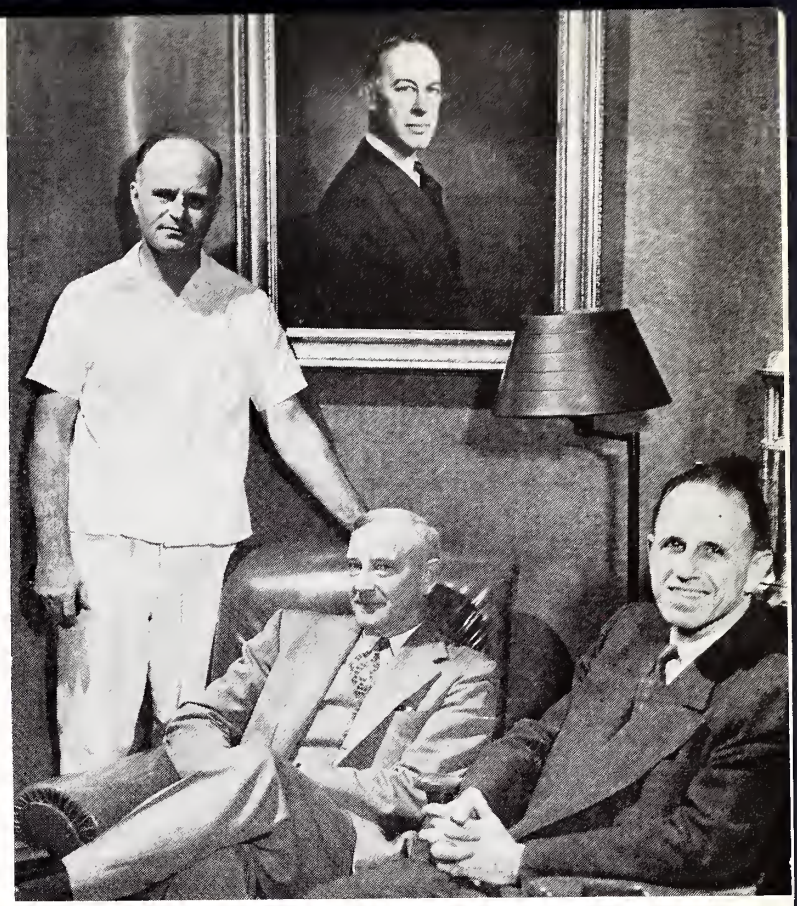
*and learned from their instruction*



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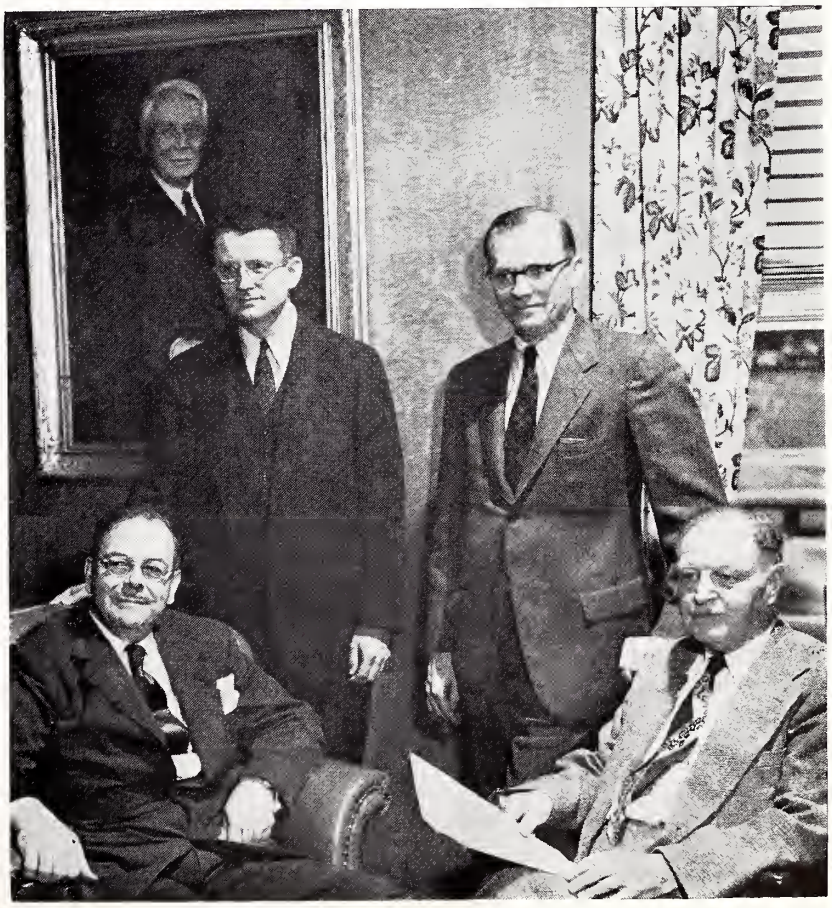

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## *Time is defined by perspective . . .*

Seconds before the newborn's first cry

Minutes of anticipation before leaving for the formal

6-7 AM The night nurse's longest hour

The shortness of the week before we get our whites

# *Time . . .*

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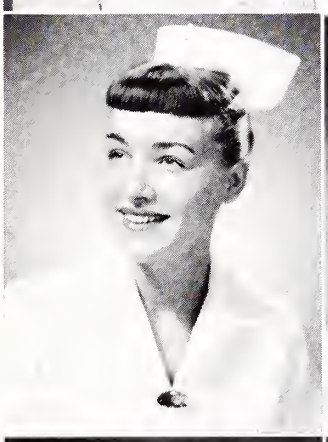

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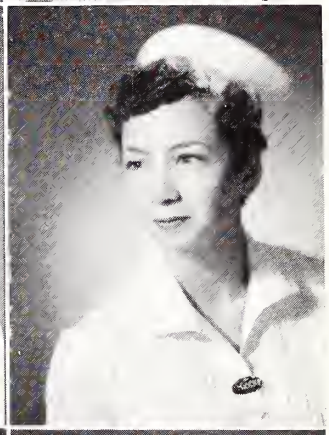

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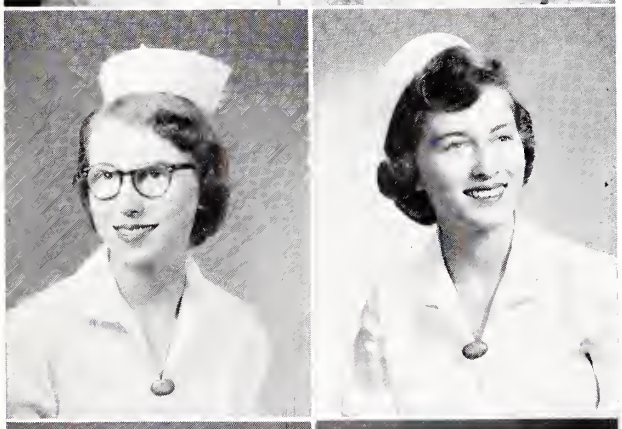

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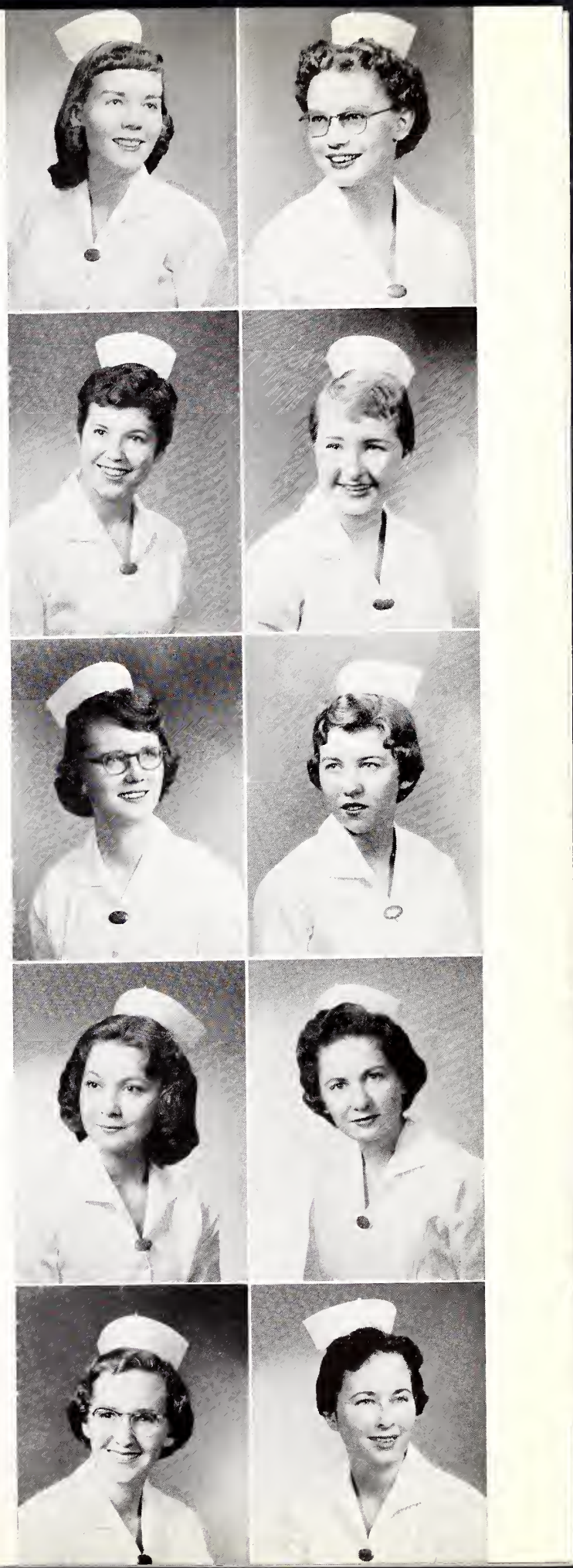

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*So much behind . . .*

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*and yet so far to go*

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F. Haldeman
J. Fuller
Y. Ernst

*Sitting*
F. Forbes
N. Grady
I. Meredith
M. Frownfelter
J. Haton
J. Hoffmeister

*Standing*
E. Law
M. Holzner
R. Herbst
K. Lybolt
J. Haton
N. Dwinell

*Sitting*
J. Janz
C. Latus

*Standing*
P. Norris
R. Thompson
S. Schleqelmilch
P. Merrifield

*Sitting*
M. Skrabel
K. Clark
E. Serritella
T. Phillips

# *Juniors . . .*

*Standing:* H. Vander Haar, S. Horton, J. Zelenik, G. Midthum, R. Tress, D. Craig, D. Yates, J. Wurtzel
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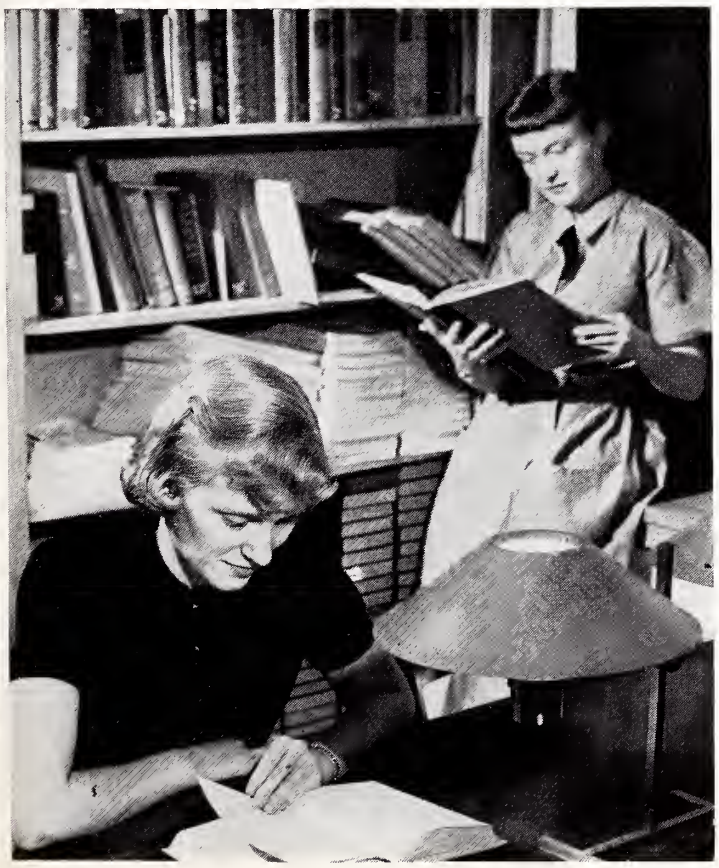

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# *The beginning long awaited . . .*

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G. Bauer
S. Crawford

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J. Allen
G. Crawford
M. Dittmar

*Back row*
D. Fortney
R. Flies
M. Fleury
H. Gast
S. Getzelman
M. Harper

*Front row*
M. Hauge
J. Garrett
J. Hanrahm
S. Hackett
E. Hamann

# *the end a vague horizon*

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J. Olson

*Standing*
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B. Kokorny
J. Prelipp
S. Polglase

*Sitting, back row*
D. Robinson
C. Schroeder
C. Ramsey

*Sitting, front row*
B. Rick
J. Pollock
C. Schuster

*Standing*
M. Wiess
C. Tingstrom
B. Spencer

*Sitting*
C. L. Smith
C. Shetlar
N. Sweeney
H. Taylor
C. Sizer
P. Parker
C. Smith

# *Their shape startled us at first*

. . . but soon we knew that our caps were the most beautiful in the world.

We were proud and excited when, after six long months, we finally earned the right to wear them.

It wasn't that we knew all there was to know, but we felt a little more certain inside. We were eager for the next step ahead.

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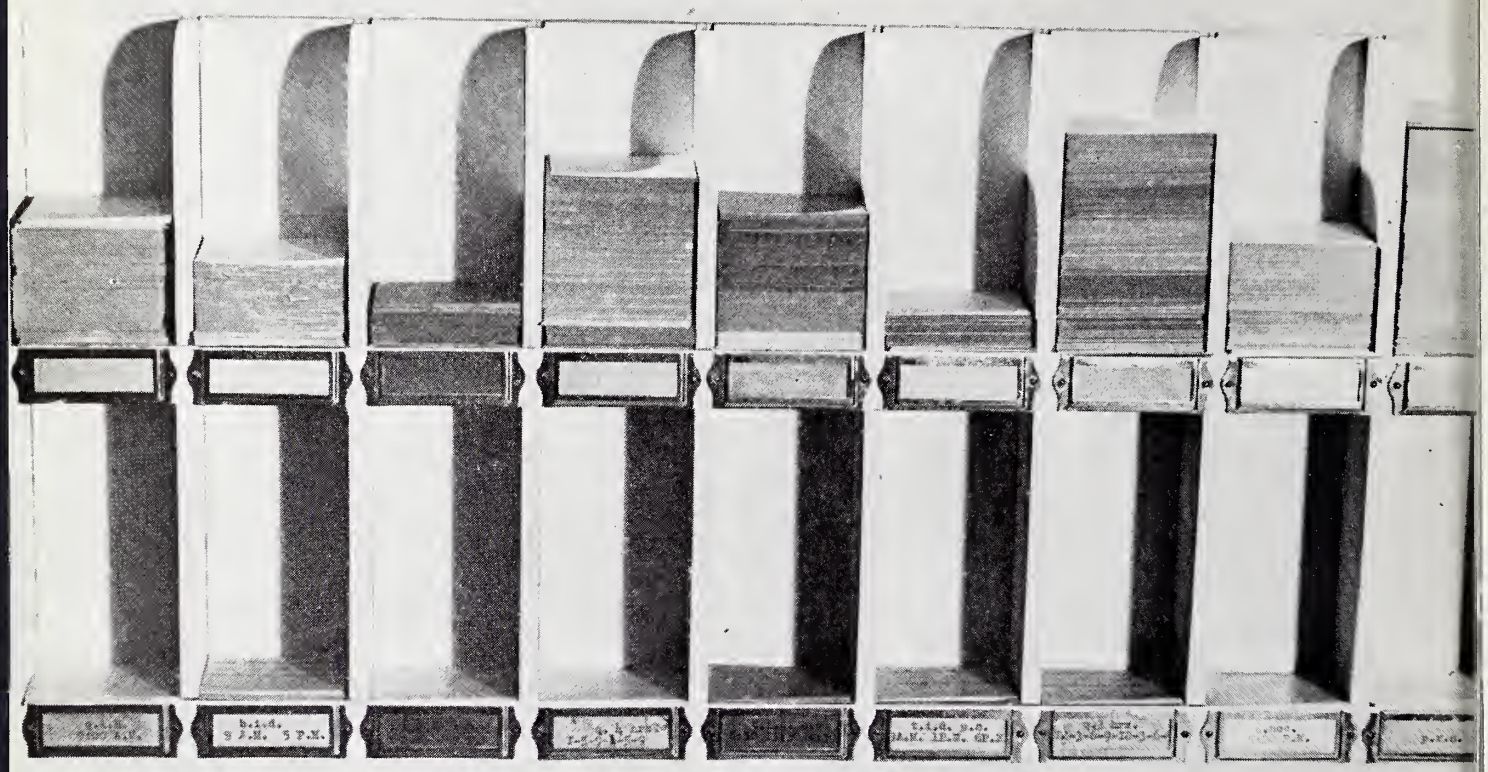
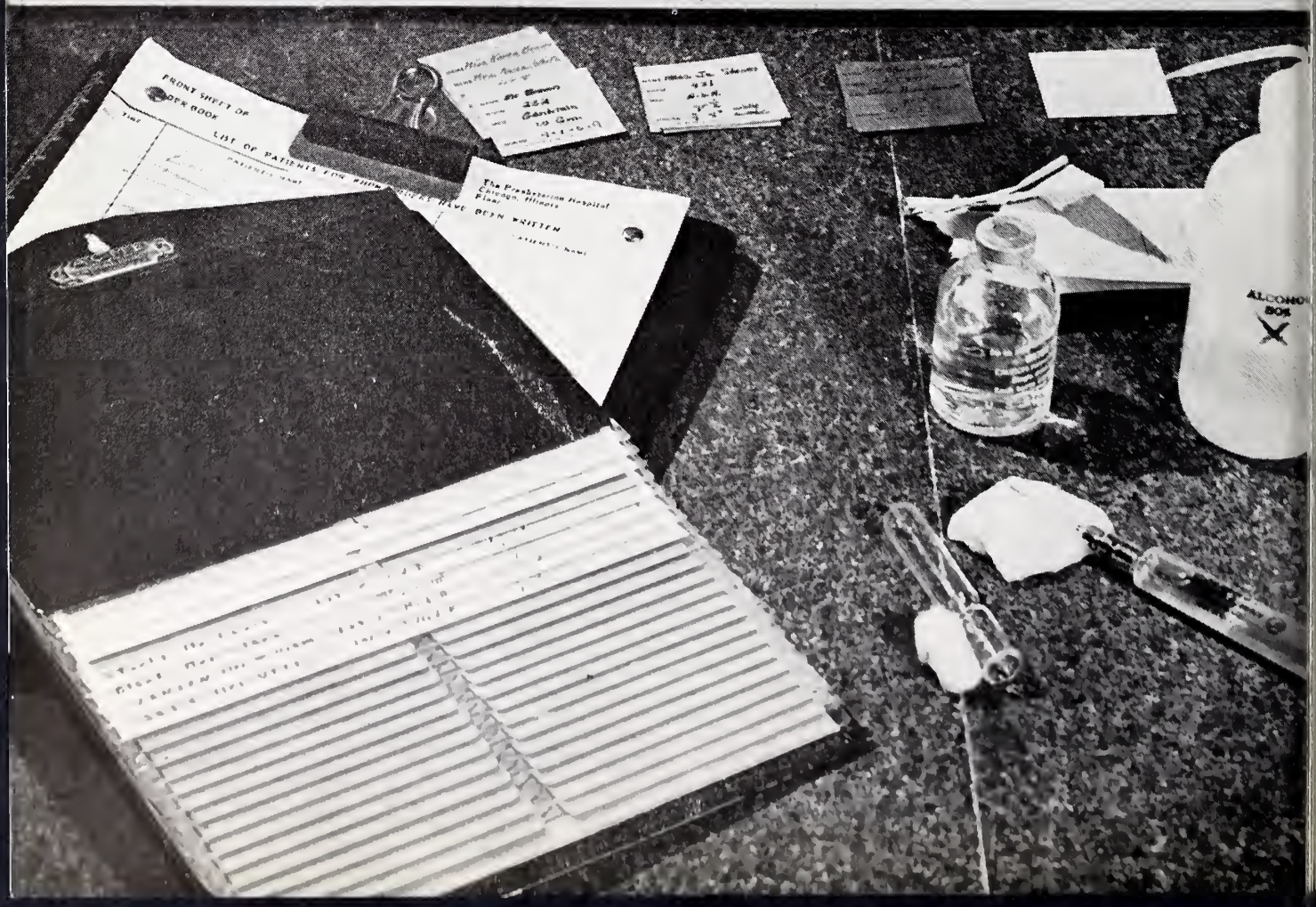




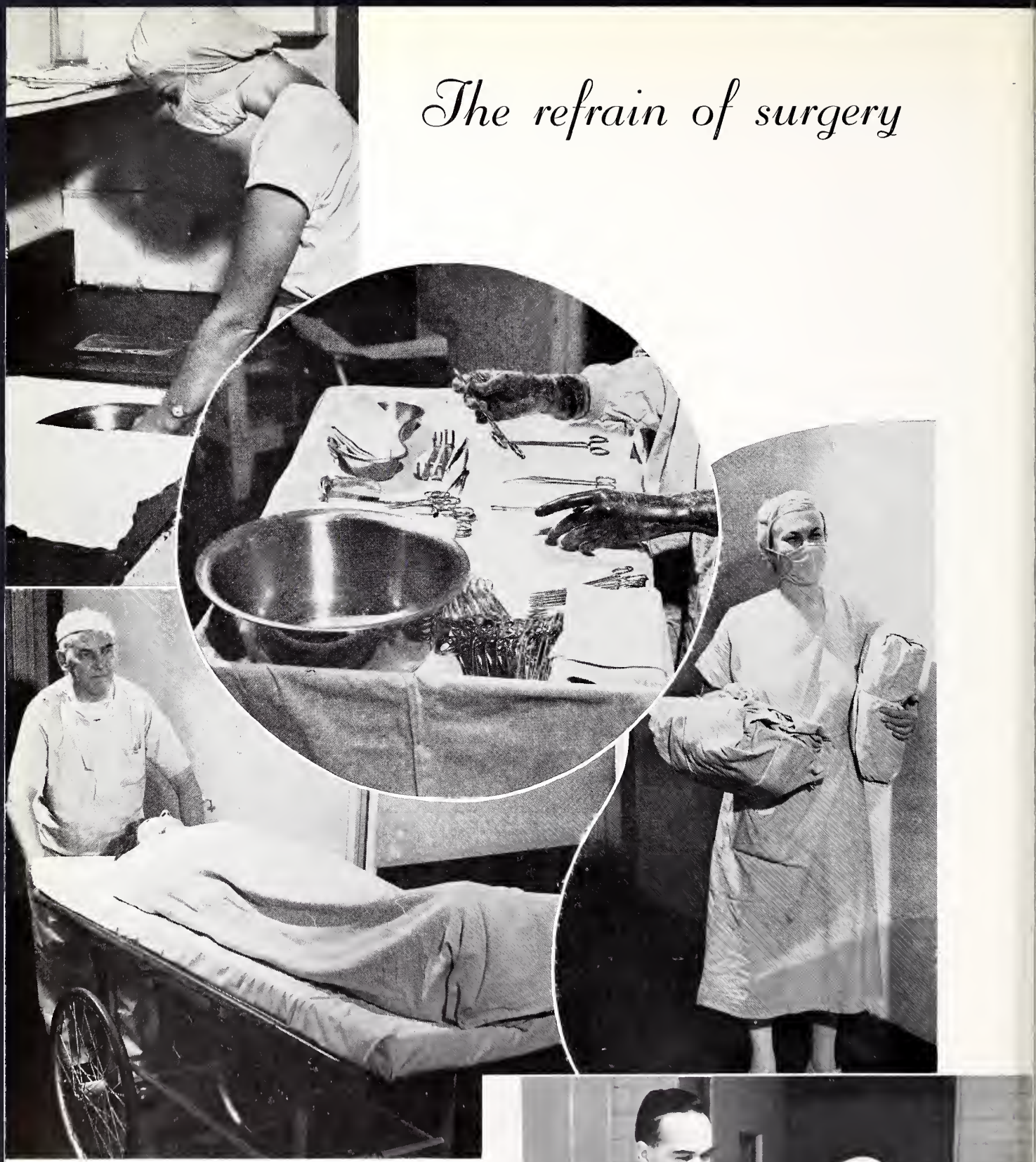
# *A strange world becomes familiar . . .*

We learned its puzzling new ways gradually.

Simple things like baths and temperatures took a great deal of concentration. Little by little our speech became sprinkled with medical terminology.

But it was the patients whom we came to know and like, that finally gave this strange hospital world meaning and reality.

# *The refrain of surgery*



Clamp, tie, cut

Clamp, tie, cut

*Mother's to thirty children wearing but fun,*

# *Pediatrics*

*Senior students help plan the work to be done.*

# Obstetrics

## The Happy Place!

*The long corridors,*

echoing to our early steps,

resounding with the bustle of daily activity

then subsiding to a quiet — broken only by the footsteps

of the night nurse on her rounds

DIET KITCHEN

# *Glimpses into the special areas . . .*

*caring for*
*patients is a*
*complex process*

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*Working away from home,*

*our confidence grows*

# *Activities*

## *Out of bib and apron into . . .*

Formals for a memorable dance

Skirt and sweater for an informal mixer

Shorts for a rousing game of tennis

Sunday best for an inspiring church service

Pajamas for a hand of bridge before bedtime

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*at capping . . .*

*at graduation . . .*

*our feelings were expressed in song*

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# *A time for worship . . .*
# *and a time for play*

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*In the gaity of the carnival . . .*

# *and the romantic setting of the dance . . .*

*we had a*

*wonderful*

*time*

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